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REMARKSParagraphs 1-4 of the Office Action

Claims 1-4 are rejected under 35 USC §102(b) as being anticipated by Johnson et al. Claims 5-9 are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would 10 be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim any intervening claims

Claim 1 has been amended and now includes the limitations of as filed claim 5. As per the indications by the Examiner, it is believed that amended claim 1 is now in condition for allowance. Remaining claims 2-4 and 9, by virtue of their ultimate 15 dependence on claim 1, incorporate the limitations of claim 1 and are therefore also believed to be in condition for allowance.

Withdrawal of the rejection is respectfully requested by the applicant.

Paragraph 5 of the Office Action

20 Claim 10 is allowed.

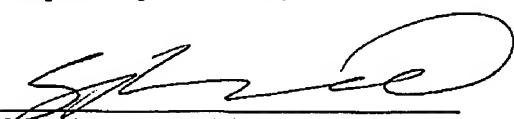
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CONCLUSION

10 In light of the foregoing amendments and remarks, early consideration and
allowance of this application are most courteously solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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